

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Kuniko Kikuta

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Quach, Tuan N.

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 10, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows: